



# THE GLEICHEN CALL

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## Fire Brigade Elect Officers For Ensuing Year

At a poorly attended meeting called by the fire brigade the new fire fighting equipment was demonstrated by R. W. Brown and the operation thoroughly explained. If it is your house next, better, well, let you visit you had been at the meeting and learned how to operate the new equipment—especially if the others stand around not knowing what to do—the fire chief out of town and the other firemen haven't their pajamas off yet.

After the demonstration the crowd gathered in the Community Hall to hold the previously advertised meeting.

R. W. Brown presided with T. C. Brown and M. Murray as a committee.

There were about 35 adults present, also present were the cadets who believed to swell the ranks and were very keenly interested in the proceedings.

The following officers were elected for the coming year:

- President—R. W. Brown.
- Vice-President—B. K. Hunter.
- Sec-Treas.—R. W. Blick.
- Fire Chief—R. W. Brown.
- Asst. Fire Chief—B. K. Hunter.
- Captain—A. Plante.
- Firesman—G. Bogie, D. McIntyre, F. Michael, A. Bogie, B. Davidson, B. Meunier, F. McKay, L. Wood, S. Haskayne.

No 1 chemical truck, Captain—C. Brown, and in command—T. C. Brown. O. K. Cross, C. Kilep, R. McLeay, B. Holt, A. Wilson.

No 2 chemical truck, Captain—C. Brown, and in command—B. Schmidt, R. Davidson, S. Klen, D. Farquhar, R. Service, W. Service, T. James, B. Truett, J. Wright.

Hook and ladder, Captain—G. A. McKinnon, J. Hamar, B. Blick, J. Haskayne, H. James.

Salvage company, Captain—W. Sturges, W. Blaney, T. Proggat, L. Brown, P. Deshayes, S. Hampton.

The fire brigade is an entirely voluntary organization and it is up to the people of the town to give it as much support as they can. It is hoped that it will be a very active and well trained body and that the drills will be well attended not only by the firemen but also by the public. Who knows what moment may need the brigade and if you can swing smoothly into action with them then we will all have something to be proud of.

## OBITUARY

Mrs. J. Young received word that J. C. Hutchison had died Monday in Vancouver, B. C. Mr. Hutchison was for some years a member of the Blackfoot Indian reserve and well known in Gleichen. Owing to ill health he retired about ten years ago and moved to the coast where he has lived since that time. His wife survives him.

I. Gedraitis aged 83 years died Sunday at Eventide home where he had lived for the past two years. He was born in Russia and had spent about 38 years coal mining at Bellefleur, Alberta. He retired in 1930. His funeral took place Monday afternoon with Major A. P. Parkinson officiating after which interment was made in Eventide cemetery.

## Senator Gershaw Writes

The floor of the Senate Chamber is covered with bright red carpet. Great pictures hang on the walls and the ceiling is of a golden shade. The great room is being used at present for Dominion-Provincial conference. On the central part of the floor, there is a long table and around this table sit the nine provincial premiers, Prime Minister King and usually three cabinet ministers. Viewed from the gallery, the scene is colorful and impressive. The desks usually occupied by the members of the Senate are used by the provincial advisers and officers from the different provinces who have come to supply material when needed for the great conference which may well be historic.

## News Items of Local Interest

It is expected that the irrigation water will be turned on about the middle of the month.

Denny Woods and Leth Gilbart arrived in town Monday morning on Highway 6, C. to spend a week's holiday. They are on the staff of the C.P.R. in the signal department.

Charles Thompson started a crew of men to work Monday morning the foundation for the addition to the Central Motors Garage. When the new addition is completed Gleichen's main street will have quite an imposing appearance.

Cordon Stott has purchased the residence owned by Donald Hutchison, who was formerly Royal Bank manager here and now retired and living in Calgary. Gleichen is rapidly becoming a scene of home owners in quest of renters.

Mrs. D. Gillespie accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Urth of Calgary, spent a day or so during the week end in town and district visiting relatives and friends. Some thirty years ago Mrs. Urth was a resident of Gleichen for many years. At that time she and her husband operated a pool room bowling alley and a refreshment stand here. Those were the days when Gleichen was hummed with activity by visitors from 70 and more miles north and 50 miles south making

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Canadian people stood by the side of Britain and made a great contribution to the war effort. There is now no escape from the war costs.

Thousands of the young men have not returned and never will see their homes or loved ones again. No money value can bring back what they have given.

Housewives are returning broken in body and mind. We can only hope that the provisions made will, to some small extent restore them to health and happiness as far as is humanly possible.

These indicate the horrors and tragedies of war and in addition, there are the material costs of the war and the reconstruction costs. These costs fall heavily in the budget of the nation. Before the war about half a billion dollars covered the whole Ottawa expenses and during the war more than five billion was required each year.

Of this tremendous amount about one half was raised by taxation and about half was borrowed. The national debt on this account rose from around three billion to 12 or 13 billion. The high expenses of war do not stop with the start of the borrowing. The debts must be serviced and the reconstruction costs met. The only way to get the money is from the taxpayer or through loans as the principle of issuing debt free interest from money has been not accepted.

The sources of taxation that are to be assigned to either the Dominion or the provinces are the income tax, inheritance tax, gasoline tax, theatre tax and the war-mutual. The taxes are difficult and the British North America Act passed 79 years ago was designed to meet conditions very different from the conditions now existing.

At times, during the many days of debate, it seemed that an agreement would be possible, but the conference was on the brink of collapse. At times, angry words were hurled across the table and charges were made in a tense atmosphere.

Mr. Isley's reply to many requests of the provinces was usually "no." This recalled to Mr. Douglas a song from "The Girl of Oklahoma" who could not say "No." He said Mr. Isley could not say "Yes".

The Blackfoot premier did bring out the fact that the central provinces containing the head offices of the great money institutions could collect taxes from them on profits that were derived from branches in the west and east. This applies to the banks, the insurance companies, the oil companies, the transportation and communication companies.

All the members of the conference realize that taxes must be reduced but to date no one has presented the cancellation of any items of expenditure.

F. W. GERSHAW, Ottawa, 27 May, 1946

## Legion Members To Stage Carnival Night June 12th

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Mr. R. W. Blick the picture show man will start his picture show at 7 p.m. instead of the usual 8 hour 30. After the show is over the dance and carnival will commence. There one will be able to buy \$100 of bogus money for one dollar and with the various gaming devices to be played one can become a millionaire overnight and know what it feels like to be a millionaire. This funny money will buy anything in the hall including supper.

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The presentation was made by Senator F. W. Gershaw, M.D. Miss McQueen will continue with the staff of the Medicine Hat hospital for sometime.

## ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH Sunday, May 12th, Morning Prayer at 11 a.m. Rev. D. A. Ford, R.A., Incumbent

## Will Celebrate Empire Day

As usual Gleichen will celebrate Empire Day, May 24th, with a day of sport.

The main attraction will be a baseball tournament between Cully, Chancellor, Standard and Meadowbrook. During the afternoon there races and events for the children.

In the evening a big dance will be staged in the Community Hall. This will wind up the great annual event.

## TO MAKE ALLIES OUT OF ALLIES

Again there is talk of international alliances—alliances to meet new threats. But alliances do not make sense. At least they don't make them stick. We had allies during the war. But we stopped feeling allied with them when they began putting ideas contrary to our own. Can there ever be any real basis for alliance other than allegiance to the same idea?

As long as we have one idea—be it a common enemy—we are allies. But the minute we get two ideas, and try to look each other with them, we are allies no longer. Is there any one big enough to unite all people and this answer the split union while they wait for time?

The biggest idea usually is a sense of youth. We like the idea of a bunch of youngsters we know who want a lot of things for the same reason. They say, "We're young, we're new, we're afraid again that Mom and Dad won't stay together. Schools where we like to go instead of have to go. Gangs where we can trust each other and be ourselves. That's what we fight for. That's what we fight for."

Simply as it is this idea easily unites teenagers. Perhaps an even simpler, just as simple, just as sane, could be the things struggling for control of industry. Perhaps it could unite the races and the nations.

As grown-up we too, certainly long for homes where we are no longer afraid our husbands, wife or children will want to leave us. We too, long for jobs where we go because we have to, not because we want to. We too, long for "gangs"—our societies, associations, labor unions, clubs—where we can trust each other and be ourselves. If we too should think of fight for these things, instead of just wishing for them, we would be fighting the same idea. We would do far more than understand each other. We would find a common ideology—the one thing that can really make allies out of allies, and make them stick.

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## COMMUNITY THEATRE GLEICHEN SAT. MAY 11—THE IMPATIENT YEARS LEE BOWMAN—JEAN ARTHUR

WED. MAY 15—THE SPIRAL STAIRCASE EDWARD G. ROBINSON. Opening in Calgary Same Date.

SAT. MAY 18—CONFLICT HUMPHREY BOGART—ALEXIS SMITH—SIDNEY GREEN STREET. A man in love with his wife's sister plans a perfect murder

MAY 15—THE SPIRAL STAIRCASE MAY 18—CONFLICT MAY 22—HOLD THAT BLONDE MAY 25—SINCE YOU WENT AWAY MAY 28—YOUNG TO KNOW MAY 31—BELL BOTTOM GEORGE.

R. W. BLICK OWNER-MANAGER

request has been made that resolutions pertaining to all phases of the travel industry be sent to the office of the director of the Publicity and Travel Branch, Legislative Building, in order that they may be prepared for the agenda. Announcement regarding the principal speakers will be made in the near future.

IN ORDER to strengthen the arm of the Church and enable it to meet the challenge of postwar needs with intensified effort at home and abroad, members of the Church of England in Canada are asked to provide the sum of \$4,300,000.

This money is urgently needed to carry on the Church's educational and social work in Canada.

To meet Diocesan and general synod needs as well as the expenses of organization and administration.

To carry on missionary work at home and abroad, to assist the Mother Church in England and the Churches of Europe in their work of rehabilitation.

To strengthen the pension fund for missionary clergy.

The money will be allotted in the following way:

Pension Fund	\$1,300,000
Missionary Work	1,400,000
Educational Work	100,000
Social Work	55,000
Church in Britain	100,000
Churches in Europe	90,000
General Synod Administration	205,000
Extension of Church House	50,000
Diocesan Needs	800,000
Organization and Administration	200,000

Spiritual re-dedication must bear fruit in self-sacrificing practical endeavour if the Church is to meet its Christian obligations.

Be prepared to lend YOUR support to the limit of your ability when the Visitor calls during the week of May 12th to 19th, or mail your offering to your Diocesan Headquarters.

Wardens: A. Horn, R. S. Haskayne, W. A. F. MacCallum. The Parish of St. Andrew's is asked to raise \$200.

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THIN FINER PAPER  
MORE FINE FINGER

DOUBLE AUTOMATIC  
BOOKLET

## Canada's Oil Production

THE CURRENT ISSUE of the Canada Year Book contains an interesting and informative section dealing with Canadian oil production. While Canada is not at present among those countries who supply a large part of the world's oil requirements, there are possibilities that she may some day occupy a foremost place in that field. Eighty-eight per cent, of the Dominion's total oil supply comes from the province of Alberta, where oil deposits are located in various parts of the province; at Turner Valley, in the Vermilion-Lloydminster area, and in several other districts. For many years the best known and most productive wells were situated in the Turner Valley area, southwest of Calgary. In 1944, over ninety-nine per cent, of the oil produced in Alberta came from that district.

### Rich Deposits At McMurray

In the northern part of the province, however, lie what are believed to be the richest oil reserves in the world. These are located in the bituminous sand deposits at Turner Valley. Canadian geologists estimate the potential output of these deposits at 100,000 million tons, while the United States Bureau of Mines believe that they are capable of producing 250,000 million tons. At present about one barrel of oil is extracted from one acre of the sand, according to the figures in the article in the Canada Year Book says in part: "Their economic value will depend upon many factors, including production at present price levels of United States, Latin American, and other Eastern fields. It is, however, a very valuable reserve, and the Alberta government in 1944 arranged for the setting up of an experimental pilot plant for investigating the possibilities of separating the oil from the sand on a commercial basis."

### Was Important During The War

As was the case with many other essential commodities, oil took on added importance during the war, when enormous quantities were required for planes, ships and mechanized ground equipment. Enemy oil supplies were constantly attacked, and it is known that shortages of oil were an important factor in the grounding of the Luftwaffe and the ultimate defeat of Germany. In Canada, the war brought about extensive development of the Fort Norman oil fields in the Northwest Territories. This area was the scene of the Canol project, which was the largest development ever carried out by the Canadian government. By means of this gigantic project, oil production in the Fort Norman area was greatly increased, and this supply was used by the armed forces and on the Alaska pipeline. Within the British Empire, Canada is the second largest producer of oil, her output being exceeded only by that of Trinidad. In relation to world supplies, Canada's oil production is at present not large, but development of the McMurray area may at some future time bring her to a leading place in this field.

## WHY suffer from ITCHING-BURNING? PILES!

and do nothing about it!

Canada's leading expert on Piles, Dr. J. H. McLeod, writes: "Piles are a chronic disease, and unless treated by a specialist, they will continue to recur, and may become a permanent nuisance."

Simply get in any drugstore and get a bottle of Dr. J. H. McLeod's Pile Cure. It is a simple, safe, and effective treatment for all types of Piles, whether internal or external, and it is guaranteed to give you permanent relief.

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NOTE: The sponsor of this contest is an individual, and the prize is a cash award of \$100.00. The contest is open to all residents of Canada, and the prize is awarded to the winner of the contest.

### Starts Orchid Farm

Ex-Serviceman Believes It May Be First In Canada

R. W. Sodergren, an ex-serviceman, is solving his rehabilitation problem by establishing what he believes will be the first orchid farm in British Columbia, and possibly Canada.

He says that when the flowers start to bloom he plans to give a free bridal corsage to every girl who marries an overseas veteran, and free wreath to the Canadian Legion for every veteran's funeral.

Mr. Sodergren is purchasing a 15-acre farm near Chilliwack and plans to plant 10 to 15 acres with orchid plants at intervals the year round. He said they can be grown outside and placed in greenhouses only during the last six years of their development.

Although Mr. Sodergren has never operated an orchid farm as such, he has several years of experience working with tropical plants.

Hawaii is composed of 20 islands and 6,449 square miles. Only nine of the islands are inhabited.

Clean as it Polishes

FURNITURE POLISH

There is no mean work, save that which is sordidly selfish; no irreligious work, save that which is morally wrong; in every sphere of life the post of honor is the post of duty.—E. H. Chapin

Coffee plants generally yield their first crop in their fourth year.

## Price Control And Rationing Information

Q—I was recently discharged from the Armed Services. My priority certificate has been lost. Will I be able to obtain another priority certificate if I apply for one?

A—You will not be able to have and use two priority certificates. Your priority certificate replaced. Each discharged member of the Armed Services is entitled to only one certificate.

Q—Have price control regulations been lifted on the sale of cigarettes?

A—Yes, price control regulations have been suspended on the sale of cigarettes.

Q—May I use my canning sugar coupons to buy preserves?

A—The first five pounds of canning sugar may be purchased on and after May 2nd. These coupons may also be used for the purchase of the additional five pounds of canning sugar, or other preserves.

Q—When do the butter coupons become valid in the month of May?

A—Butter coupons become valid on May 2nd, May 16 and May 23. Each coupon is good for half a pound of butter.

Please send your questions or your request for the pamphlet "Consumer News" or the Blue Book in which you keep track of your selling prices, mentioning the name of this paper to the nearest Wartime Prices and Trade Board office in your province.

## THE AIR WE BREATHE

The average person takes two or three quarts of food and drink in through his mouth every day. But in the same time he takes in his lungs 10,000 to 12,000 quarts of whatever atmosphere happens to be around him.—Hamilton Spectator.

Seventy-five gallons of water are used in making one pound of rayon.

## FOR TIRED EYES

2 Drops of Muriol

Eyes are rationed—two to a lifetime—no he kind to name of this paper to the nearest Wartime Prices and Trade Board office in your province.

Germany will be permitted to produce 5.8 million tons of steel annually—far less than her pre-war production. She will not, however, be permitted production of magnesium, a primary aluminum, synthetic rubber, oil, aircraft, gasoline, ships, arms or munitions. Exports—necessary to pay for food imports—will be limited to cotton, petrol, timber, tea, leather, goods, furs, other like articles.

This decision does not go as far, or nearly as far, as the Morgenthau plan, which would have reduced Germany to a purely peasant country, depriving her practically of all manufacturing. It does seem, however, to give a fair picture of what happened under Hitler to the nations of the world.

It is to fulfill the claims of today.—Goethe

Consciousness of right-doing brings its own reward; but not amid the smoke of battle is merit seen and appreciated by lookers-on.—Mary Baker Eddy.

The duty of man is plain and simple, and consists but of two points: his duty to God, which every man must feel; and his duty to his neighbor, to do as he would be done by.—Thomas Paine

The path of duty lies in what is near, and men seek for it in what is remote.—The work of duty lies in what is easy, and men seek for it in what is difficult.—Mencius.

The truth is, one's vocation is never far-off possibility, it is always the simple round of duties which the passing hour brings.—J. W. Diller

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## DAIRYING IN WEST

Shift In Production Gave Prairie Provinces Larger Expansion

A notable feature of the dairy situation in Canada is the shift in production which has given western Canada a larger share of the expansion in dairying enterprises.

In 1920, Ontario and Quebec contributed approximately 67 per cent. of the total milk production of the Dominion; the Prairie provinces produced 22 per cent. of the total milk supply, while the Maritimes and British Columbia shared to the extent of nine per cent. respectively.

In 1925 increases recorded in western Canada the Prairie provinces contributing 28 per cent. and British Columbia 2.5 per cent., whereas the production of Ontario and Quebec fell to 63 per cent. and the Maritimes to 8 per cent. A further shift in favor of the Prairie provinces was recorded in 1942, and by 1944 Ontario and Quebec were supplying only 40 per cent. of the milk production while the Prairie provinces produced 50 per cent. the remaining 10 per cent. being divided between the Maritimes and British Columbia.

Many people from abroad would get a shock if they had to live on rationed milk, said Mrs. Emily Hill, a restaurant waitress, widowed by the war and the mother of four children.

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## Wrong Impression

Visitors See Food Situation In Britain

British housewives complain that official hospitality to overseas visitors gives an inaccurate impression of food conditions in Britain.

They point out that the food situation, seen through the menu of a hotel grill room, does not look so grim as it does to the housewife.

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## A National Holiday

Egyptians Of Every Faith Observe Sui-Tat-Breze Day

April 22 is Shem-el-Nessim or Sui-Tat-Breze Day in Egypt, and most of the 10,000,000 dwellers along the Nile always rise down near to get in a few new suits to ward off the coming summer's languor. Egyptians believe there is nothing like a few breaths of the departing spring air to keep away the hot summer's heat.

It is the one national holiday celebrated alike by Moslems, Christians and Jews. Originally it was a pagan feast and it falls on the Monday after the Greek Orthodox Easter.

The day is spent largely in picnicking. Those who can move out into the countryside. The best for picnic jam into the parks of cities and towns.

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# NOTICE

## BICYCLE RIDERS

### BEWARE

The By-law of the town reads that "No person shall ride any bicycle along or across any of the sidewalks of the Towns"

This is to be rigidly enforced.

A penalty is provided for any infraction of the By-law. No further warning will be given.

TOWN OF GLEICHEN

#### ANNEX LUMBER FOR SALE

The Alberta Wheat Pool offers for

Type of Annex	Site Location	Capacity (Bals)
Aldridge	Balloon South of elevator	32,000
Birdsall	Balloon East of No. 1 elevator	32,000
Bruce	Lovtave East of elevator	15,000
Brenner	Lovtave Most easterly Lovtave	10,000
Carnagay	Balloon N.E. annex north of office	45,000
Cayley	Balloon North of elevator	32,000
Champion	Balloon North of elevator	32,000
Clairmont	Balloon North of elevator	32,000
Coaldale	Balloon South of elevator	32,000
Empress	West of elevator	25,000
High River	Balloon Track side north of elevator	35,000
Hilda	Balloon North of elevator	32,000
Hillard	Balloon West of elevator	32,000
Holmes	Balloon South of elevator	32,000
Kilham	Balloon East of elevator	32,000
Lougheed	N.W. of elevator	32,000
New Brighton	Balloon East of elevator	32,000
Phillips	Lovtave Most easterly Lovtave	10,000
Picture Bay	Balloon East of elevator	32,000
Ryegate	Balloon West of cribbed annex	32,000
Waterfront	West of cribbed annex	32,000
Wetaskwin	North of elevator	35,000

Tender is desired with rods and without rods.

It is suggested anyone interested in the purchase of these structures should make personal examination prior to submitting a bid. In event of any additional information being desired such can be obtained promptly by addressing an inquiry to Construction Department, Alberta Wheat Pool, Lougheed Building, Calgary.

Purchaser must erect building, remove material and clean up site not by accepted.

ALBERTA WHEAT POOL

#### TOWN AND DISTRICT

Annie Plante has bought the house owned by Mrs. Smith and has already moved in.

A crew of men started work Monday to move the old Jun Koo restaurant to its new site near the water tower where George Burne will use it in connection with the new gasoline station to be established there.

Leuric Brown was the successful tenderer in the contract for the removal of the garbage in town. His duties will start immediately.

Last Wednesday afternoon, under the supervision of Lou Michael, the Legion members repaired and tarred the roof of their new quarters. The roof has not been attended to for some time and as a consequence leaked badly.

Mrs. E. Woods has several apple and cherry trees in full bloom just now and are really a beautiful sight to see.

#### THE REBAG BOX

To build a world free from want, like all other achievements, will require determination and sacrifice.

Down through the centuries an abundant supply of bread has always meant a well nourished and satisfied people.

The home economist of the Consumer Section, Dominion Department of Agriculture have a few practical suggestions to help in saving wheat flour.

In storing bread, if the outer crust, sometimes called the "heel," is replaced it prevents the cut from drying out. When the loaf is used this crust should not be wasted. It will probably be very dry but if dried in the oven until crisp and ground or rolled finely, the crumbs are ready for toppings and scalloped or for croquettes.

Home made bread muffins or scones, may have part of the white flour replaced by rolled oats, bran or potatoes.

But what about the lunch box where the sandwich is always the main stay. This knotty problem may be solved by serving a salad.

Bran or whole grain muffins or scones make excellent accompaniments. Salads add more interest to the lunch box, yet curtail bread consumption.

If the salad is of the chopped variety pack it into the lunch box in a tightly cover glass container. Most jelly salads individually and carry in the mould, in the lunch box.

The western Canada crop prepared a great revenue of \$18,000,000 last year, according to a recent survey. The figure is impressive in showing not only what was done but what could be done with this crop on the prairies. With the price raised 30c a bushel, now making a total of \$3.25 a bushel as of August 1st the amount will undoubtedly be higher for 1946.

There can be no doubt that much more flax could be grown in Western Canada at a substantial profit to farmers—in fact a number of steady flax growers have been saying recently that they have found flax their best paying crop. Unfortunately, from the point of view of those interested in increased flax production, and "anti-flax" feeling has grown up among farmers in some sections—a feeling apparently arising out of unsatisfactory experience in the past.

That feeling, plus a heavy demand for flax products makes a booklet issued by the National Linseed Flax Committee at Winnipeg most timely. Entitled "The Truth About Flax" the booklet contains a down-to-earth discussion about flax—its advantages and how to exploit them, its disadvantages and how to overcome them.

We find that every day the farmer uses a flax product—in the form of linseed oil paints, linseed oil meal which not only supplies protein but has medicinal properties not found in other protein concentrates, cigarette paper, currency paper and documentary paper, linoleum for his floors and oilcloth for his tables. We find too that flax products go into the making of castings used on farm machines, into the production of rubber tires, into the making of printer's ink used in the farmer's newspaper and in government bulletins and other literature.

All-in-all flax seems to be a mighty interesting and profitable crop.

#### TENDERS FOR COAL

SEALED Tenders addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Coal for Western Provinces" will be received until 5:00 P.M. (E.D.S.T.), Monday, May 27, 1946, for the supply of coal for the Dominion Buildings and Experimental Farms and Stations, throughout the Provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia.

Plans of tenders with specifications, and conditions attached can be obtained from the undersigned.

#### CLASSIFIED ADS

#### LOCAL AGENT WANTED—to take

new and renewal subscriptions for all magazines. References required. Apply to Finsdale Reading Club, 1417 Dominion Bank Bldg., Vancouver, B. C.

GOOD RAWLEIGH—District available around Gleichen. No experience needed to start. Large sales mean big profits. Permanent. Full time. Write Rawleigh's, Dept. No. WG-E-20-104, Winnipeg, Canada.

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Department of Public Works, Ottawa,

the District Resident Architect,

Winnipeg, Man.; the District Resident Architect, Saskatoon, Sask.; the District Resident Architect, Calgary, Alta.; and the District Resident Architect, Victoria, B. C.

Tenders should be made on the forms supplied by the Department and in accordance with the departmental specifications and conditions attached thereto. Coal-district license numbers must be given when tendering.

The Department reserves the right to demand from any successful tenderer, before awarding the order, a security deposit in the form of a certified cheque on a chartered bank in Canada, made payable to the order of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, equal to 10 per cent of the amount of the tender, or Bonds of the Dominion of Canada or of the Canadian National Railway Company and its constituent companies unconditionally guaranteed, as to principal and interest by the Dominion of Canada, or the above mentioned bonds and a certified cheque if desired to make up an odd amount.

By order,  
J. M. SOMERVILLE,  
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,  
Ottawa, April 30, 1946.



Government of Alberta

## TRAVEL CONFERENCE NOTICE

All businesses and organizations interested in the tourist industry in Alberta are urged to attend this conference. Tourist camp and resort operators, company executives, hotelmen, representatives of transportation companies, the press and radio, Chambers of Commerce, Boards of Trade, Automobile Associations, Fish and Game Associations, and other interested bodies should plan to attend this important conference—to be held in the—

Canadian Legion Hall

EDMONTON

MAY 16-17-18

(Registration fee \$5 including banquet)

Drafts of resolutions to be submitted should be sent in advance to:

PUBLICITY AND TRAVEL BRANCH

Department of Economic Affairs

Legislative Building — Edmonton

Hon. A. J. HOOKE, Minister

DAN E. C. CAMPBELL, Director

## NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that dog licenses are now due and payable for 1946.

Licenses are payable at the Town office, Gleichen.

Any person possessing or harboring any dog or bitch in the Town of Gleichen without a license shall be deemed guilty of an infraction of the By-law of the town and liable to a penalty.

TOWN OF GLEICHEN

## The Farm Call



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They offer a chance for IMMEDIATE JOBS—STEADY JOBS too.

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